

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
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For: NOVEL RAAG10 CELL SURFACE TARGET
AND A FAMILY OF ANTIBODIES
RECOGNIZING THAT TARGET

Examiner: M. Davis

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the final Office Action dated June 18, 2008, for which a response was due on September 18, 2008. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for a two-month extension of time, thereby extending the deadline for response to November 18, 2008. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.